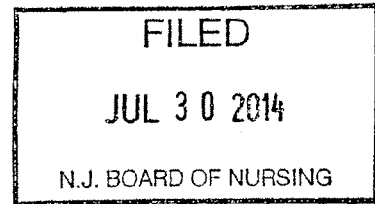


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IN THE MATTER OF THE  
LICENSE OF

Administrative Action

AMANDA BECKETT, L.P.N.  
LICENSE # NP 04660800

ORDER REMOVING RESTRICTIONS

TO PRACTICE NURSING IN THE  
STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Nursing ("Board") upon receipt of respondent's request for removal of restrictions imposed pursuant to a consent order filed by the Board on October 15, 2009. Respondent had enrolled in the Recovery and Monitoring Program of New Jersey (RAMP), and had subsequently enrolled in the Professional Assistance Program OF New Jersey (PAP) in December 29, 2008. Respondent had testified at an investigative inquiry held on June 26, 2008 that

she had received a summons because she had presented a forged prescription for 90 tablets of Oxycontin to a pharmacy with the intention of obtaining the medication for her own use, and that of her husband. The Board found that this conduct constituted an offense relating adversely to nursing within the intendment of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(f). The 2009 consent order required respondent's participation in PAP, a monitoring program, for a period of five years, dating from January 1, 2009. The consent order authorized respondent to apply for removal of restrictions imposed by the order upon successful completion of PAP.

RAMP's Executive Medical Director, Dr. Louis E. Baxter, Sr., has indicated in a letter dated April 2, 2014 that respondent has successfully completed her monitoring with PAP after six years of documented recovery, and asks that respondent be relieved of the restrictions imposed by the 2009 consent order.

The Board finding that respondent has complied with the conditions imposed pursuant to the 2009 order and has been released by PAP, termination of the restrictions imposed by the 2009 order is appropriate.

Accordingly,

IT IS, ON THIS 30<sup>th</sup> DAY OF July, 2014

HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent's petition for termination of the restrictions imposed by the October 15, 2009 consent order is hereby granted, and respondent's nursing license is no longer subject to restriction or encumbrance.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF NURSING

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